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In re application of:

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D. C. 20231

February 26, 2002

Sir:

Prior to calculation to of the filing fees and examination of the application on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

After the title "Background of the Invention" insert the following paragraph:

~ This application is a continuation-in-part application of International Application No. PCT/JP01/05677, filed June 29, 2001, designating the United States. ~

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

14. (Amended) A surface acoustic wave device according to any one of claims 1 to 8, wherein  
the piezoelectric substrate is a 66° to 74° rotated Y-X LiNbO<sub>3</sub>.

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